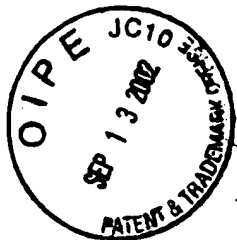


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement in the above-identified application. This Statement is submitted more than three months from the application filing date and after the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113, or a notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311.

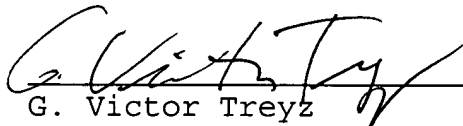
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, this Statement is accompanied by:

[] a certification as required under 37 C.F.R.
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[X] the fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).

The Director is hereby authorized to charge
payment of any additional fees required in connection with
the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement, or credit
any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A
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Respectfully submitted,



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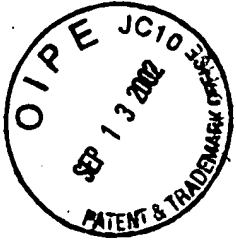
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the document listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate). A copy of the document is enclosed herewith.

This statement is submitted after the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits but before the mailing date of a final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance.

Accordingly, applicants submit herewith the required fee under
37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 (c) and 1.17 (p).

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this
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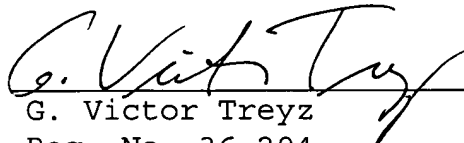
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